QUALITY, NOT BULK

Some papers are bigger than The News, yes, but what is in them? Which do you prefer, quality or bulk? This paper is different from any other paper published. It has an originality you do not find often. You can get more bulk for the money, but not the quality. You buy coal by the ton, but you don't buy diamonds that way.

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Richmond News

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If you want proof of whether The News produces results for those who advertise in it, ask them. We are perfectly willing to leave it to them. One possible reason for this is because The News circulates among the working people very largely, and they are the ones whose pay checks keep all the wheels of progress around here going around.

OFFICIAL LABOR PAPER

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1,000 PEOPLE LOOSE LIVES IN FLOOD

Homes Swept 20 Miles Inland By Sea—Relief Trains to Stricken Texas Cities—Mexico to Pay Back Ransom—Sen. Sherman Attacks Peace Pact—Latest Wire News.

CORPUS CHRISTI—From 15 to 120 persons reported drowned. More than 200 in hospitals from injuries and exposure; 3000 homeless. Property damage in Corpus Christi district estimated at $3,000,000; fifty persons missing.

ARANSAS PASS—100 drowned. Several missing. Heavy property damage.

ROCKPORT — Heavy property damage. Several persons reported missing.

PORT ARANSAS—Town reported almost completely destroyed when Mustang Island inundated by tidal wave.

BROWNSILLE—Heavy property damage.

PORTLAND—Twenty-three bodies reported recovered.

PORT ARTHUR—Some property damage.

SINTON—Seventy bodies reported recovered on coast south of town. Wire lines down into nearly all the devastated area.

TOTALS—1000 persons are reported to have lost their lives, hundreds are injured and the property loss will run into many millions of dollars.

AUSTIN, Tex., Sept. 16.—"At least one thousand bodies are strewn along the shore of Nueces and Corpus Christi bays," according to a telegram received by Governor Hobby from Brigadier General J. F. Wolters, Texas National Guard.

General Wolters wired that reliable information to that effect has been received at Houston.

The town of Aransas was completely destroyed. Rockport and Aransas Pass were severely damaged. Rescue work is continuing. It is believed the death toll may mount well past the 1000 mark, as many bodies were washed for miles.

HOUSTON, Sept. 1 .—The storm which struck the west coast near Corpus Christi Sunday carried buildings and wreckage twenty miles inland.

Near Corpus Christi, where the railroad tracks were washed away, they were twisted into the shape of a cork screw onehalf to two miles in length.

SENATOR SHERMAN RABID OVER PACT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—Senator Sherman, Republican, Illinois,

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HIT OR MISS

A long slit skirt is an observation train.

Some faces would crack if they smiled.

Some Chopin music sounds more like sawing.

A girl as pretty as a picture must have a good frame.

New problem—how to be happy though sober.

Our conscience alarm clock is not always wound up.

Because of Columbus we are always getting discovered.

Some pray for a lot of things the Lord hasn't got.

Our contemporaries are so dry people use them in lieu of towels.

Don't be noisy. That wakens the dead and makes the undertakers mad.

The operation is successful if the life insurance is sufficient.

In burning money the "Drunken Sailor" had nothing on Uncle Sam.

S. F. PORT PARALYZED BY WHARF STRIKE

Nearly 2000 stevedores and longshoremen on the San Francisco waterfront, together with a number of dock clerks who served as part time men, quit work yesterday following failure on the part of the men and the employers to agree on certain working conditions for the men. The officers of the Waterfront Workers' Association maintain that the employers locked the men out after the men had appeared for work. The Waterfront Employers' Association officials declare that the men appeared for work under a demand which could not be granted.

Work ceased on virtually every pier by 11 o'clock yesterday morning and not a steamer was discharged or loaded after that time throughout the entire day.

Several parleys during the day were held by representatives of both sides without avail. Later it was stated that attempts would be made today to end a situation that is paralyzing the port's commerce.

Church Delegates At Big Convention

The following ladies left for Santa Cruz yesterday to attend the conference there as delegates for the First Methodist Church: Mrs. Clifton Bradley, Mrs. Clara Wood, Mrs. Wilhelm and Mrs. Bettie Scott.

Rev. C. E. Irons left yesterday for the conference, and the following delegates from Wesley M. E. church will go today: Mrs. R. W. Byrn, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lester, Mr. and Mrs. W. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. L. R. Anderson, Mrs. H. S. Frymire and L. J. Johnson.

One of the really amusing things coming up is the ball game between the police and fire departments, scheduled for the first week in October.

COUNCILMEN SALARY CASE

The Suit Against the City Councilmen For Drawing a Salary They Are Not Legally Entitled to Has Never Been Tried On Its Merits Yet—Only a Demurer Has Been Heard.

The Supreme Court handed down a decision yesterday in the case in which is involved the question as to whether the city councilmen of Richmond are, or were, entitled to the salary of $50 a month at the time they voted such a salary, the contention in the complaint being that no official could vote himself an increase of salary. The decision upholds the Appellate Court, which decision was wholly and totally relative to a demurer filed by the defendant councilmen by their attorney, D. B. Hall.

A local paper states that this decision holds the salary drawn to be illegal, which is not the case. The case has never been tried on its merits yet, only technicalities of law being argued before the Superior and Appellate Courts, whose decision on such demurers is now sustained by the Supreme Court.

The case now goes back to the Superior Court of this county to be tried upon its merits, and when a decision is finally rendered upon that, then it could and doubtless would be appealed to the court of appeals, and from there to the Supreme Court.

In short, nothing has as yet been decided but technicalities of law, and it may be years before a trial decision of the case on its merits can be reached finally.

The theory that no legislative body should vote itself a salary, or increase it, is sound, but still the fact remains that the little old $50 a month is a mere pittance, and nobody in Richmond but what is perfectly willing their councilmen should receive at least that much.

If there was any way the people could settle it, they would uphold the principle, yet return the money to the members of the board, as having been justly earned, morally, even though not technically or legally.

If reimbursement is ever made by the councilmen for the salaries claimed in the complaint to have been illegally drawn, it would amount to each individual as follows: J. B. Ogborn, $1750; Wm. Picton, $1150; W. L. Lane, $1750; J. N. Hartnett, $1750; J. G. Gerlach, $1750; R. L. Fernald, $1750; E. J. Garrard, $1150; J. N. Long, $400; O. R. Ludewig, $750; and H. L. Penry, $1150? These amounts represent salary paid from the date of the ordinance taking effect, August 1, 1915, to July 1, 1918, when the suit was filed in the Superior Court.

Mendelssohn Club To Make Award

Decision as to which of the twelve candidates for the musical scholarship offered by the Mendelssohn club is the most worthy will be one of the problems to be acted upon by the members of the club at their meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. P. Dunlap, 37 Terrace avenue. An unusually interesting program will also be heard.

"Dad" Breck is back from a quick hunting trip over Sunday and Monday. He did not see anything bigger than a rabbit, but had a wild ride through Lake and adjacent counties.

MICKIE SAYS

PRESIDENT WILSON AT OAKLAND TOMORROW

President Wilson is the honored guest of San Francisco today, and many from Richmond will go over and see the parade, the decorations, and try to get a seat in the auditorium there for the speech by the President tonight, but it is doubtful if half the people who want to can get in the building.

Most of our people will try to see and hear him tomorrow at Oakland, where a fine program has been prepared and where the President is to speak in the auditorium in the evening.

Speaking of the line of march, the decorations, etc., the Tribune has the following to say:

Decorate with flags and flowers!

The President of the United States will be Oakland's guest on Thursday afternoon and evening.

E. I. Perry, chairman of the decorating committee, arranging for the presidential visit, sends out an appeal to merchants and householders whose places of business or homes are on the line of procession of make them gay with banners and emblems. It is suggested that flowers be used abundantly in the silent welcome. It is announced that Thursday evening Lake Merritt will again be lighted with lanterns.

President Wilson and his party will arrive at the foot of Broadway at 3:40 p. m. The line of march extends up Broadway to Fourteenth street, to Harrison boulevard, circling Lake Merritt on the west shore, to Twenty-second street to Broadway and thence to Berkeley. The party will return to Hotel Oakland to dine before going to the municipal auditorium for the great mass meeting.

Soldier Boys To Give A Dance

A live committee of arrangements for the first Argonne Annual Ball, to be given by Richmond Post No. 10 of the California branch of the American Legion, at the Richmond Club House, Saturday evening, September 27th, is now busy on the details. The event promises to be one of the most popular social affairs of the year.

The army and navy jazz orchestra will supply music for the dancers.

Let us all go to this affair and get acquainted with our soldier boys more intimately.

LADIES' AID

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the Westley Methodist church will be held tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Wood, 327 12th street. All members are requested to come prepared to sew.

ST. CAR MEN'S DEMAND IS JUST

Key Route System and 14 East Bay Cities Affected—Oct. 1 Is Time Set For Final Action — Public Sympathy Is With the Carmen, For They Get Little In Comparison.

Street transportation in fourteen municipalities on the east side of the bay, including Richmond, and ferry service controlled by the Key Route System, are involved in the demands of 1,100 earmen for an increase in wages from the San Francisco, Oakland and Terminal Railways.

According to Lee F. Laytham, president of Carmen's Union No. 192, the demands of the men, calling for a wage increase of from 43 to 48 cents an hour, are in the hands of the company officials and October 1 is the time set for final rejection or acceptance.

Officials of the company will make no statement regarding the matter further than that the additional expenditure per year to meet this increased scale will reach a large figure. They say the situation as a whole is of such deep concern that an exhaustive examination of the problem must be made.

In justification of the carmen's demands, President Lee F. Latham of the union says:

Twelve years ago the street car company voluntarily increased the wages of the men to $3.50 per day of ten hours. During the course of twelve years prices have more than doubled. The men are not asking for double wages, which would be $7 a day, but are only asking for $6 a day.

During the progress of the war the streetcar men bore the burden of the high cost of living uncomplainingly, and at the same time contributed to every war loan. Our contract with the Government not to strike during the progress of the war was carried out to the letter. We are now asking wages actually less than the increased cost of living calls for.

There is no desire on the part of the men either to inconvenience the public by a strike or to embarrass the street car company, but cold necessity raps at our doors and we must answer.

Night Classes Now On At High School

Four night classes opened at the high school at 8 o'clock last night. They were:

Americanization.
English for Foreigners.
Grammar School Subjects.
Mechanical Drawing.

Enrollment is still open.

These classes were decided on at the meeting of the faculty members Monday afternoon.

There was not enough demand for any other classes to warrant the forming of them, but if additional enrollments will warrant it then the faculty will take steps to do so.

CHINA MAKES PEACE WITH GERMANY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—China has declared a separate peace with Germany. The government of China issued a mandate to this effect yesterday, the State Department has been advised, acting Secretary of State Phillips announced this afternoon.

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RICHMOND POINTERS

With the harbor work to go ahead, with additional Federal help in the way of a goodly appropriation, promised by the Government; and with that big ferry line going in to ply from the Ellis Landing and Dock Company's wharf to San Francisco, carrying both passengers and automobiles, we should say that waterfront lands are due to take on a big jump in values. As soon as the ferry is ready to start, which will be as soon as the big boat can be built, it is only reasonable to conclude that the street car line will run a spur down Tenth street to connect with it, and that, in turn, also means a boost in values all along that line. Still, those of us who have other land than waterfront land need not feel bad, for we will get a boost, also, indirectly, but none the less surely.

C. C. SEWING CLUB ENJOYS GOOD TIME

The Contra Costa Sewing Club, which is composed largely of members of the Pythian Sisters, met yesterday at the fine country home of Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Knott, out toward San Pablo way, and stayed there all day, having, as one expressed it to the News, "a regular picnic."

That is just what might always be expected out at the Knott home, for Supervisor Zeb and Mrs. Knott do like company and are very hospitable. As to whether Zeb was allowed within a mile of the sewing bee our informant did not say, but probably not, also Knott—he would have got sewed up in a sack.

The ladies actually did sew, they claim, though admit that having a good social time and enjoying a splendid dinner took up a lot of the time that otherwise might have sewed on quite a lot of buttons and dudals.

Those present were: Mesdames Carlfield, Huebner, Bright, Fry, Otman, Carron, Hill, Bowyer, Richards, Cubbs, Moore, Crandall, Smith, Oliver, Hutson and Linser.

The next meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. J. Cowers, 23d street, Sept. 30.

Masons To Move Into New Quarters

Final arrangements were completed Monday night by which the Masonic fraternities of the east side will take exclusive use of the new hall nearing completion in the Bullenger-Narbett building. The lodges which will combine to lease the hall are Alpha lodge of Masons; Acantha Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star; Harmony Court, Order of Amarath and the Royal Arch Masons.

Mr. and Mrs. Crosby have been visiting friends in Live Oak.

TWO DEAD IN ANTIOCH BATTLE

Hindu Farmers Shoot and Stab Each Other To Death In Delta Country of This County—Sheriff Veal and Deputies Hot On Trail—Murder Because of Crop Dispute.

ANTIOCH, Sept. 16.—Two men are known to have been murdered in a battle fought with pistols and knives at an early hour today between rival gangs of Hindu farmers on Jersey Island on the delta section of the San Joaquin river near here.

The dead are:

Bran Singh, shot to death.

Button Singh, stabbed to death and his body mutilated almost beyond recognition.

Shortly after noon word reached the authorities here that a man believed to be Miha Singh, sought in connection with the crime, had been arrested in Stockton. A Hindu of Antioch knowing Miha Singh well was rushed to Stockton in an effort to obtain an identification of the prisoner.

Miha Singh has been missing since morning, the authorities say, together with two other Hindus who are suspected of complicity in the double murder and who are wanted in connection with the case.

As near as con be learned, the battle took place at 2 o'clock this morning, the result of bad blood between the Hindu farmers over their crops.

A ranch hand discovered the bodies of the two murdered men in their cabins and gave the alarm at the office of the Jersey Land Company.

Sheriff R. R. Veale was notified at Martinez and started at once for the scene of the crime with Deputy Sheriffs H. L. Brady and Don Williams, the latter being the county finger print expert.

MEXICO WILL PAY BACK RANSOM COIN

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Sept. 16.—The Carranza government today authorized payment to the American government of 15,000 pesos representing the amount which Captain Leonard Matlack of the Eighth United States cavalry had to pay to Mexican bandits as ransom for American aviators. President Carranza directed Acting Governor Ortiz of Chihuahua to make the payment.

A policeman took this scribe away in a hurry wagon last night—that is, he gave us a ride part way home in his auto. Cops hunting criminals in autos is a new one. They'll be getting aeroplanes next.

Protect Yourself With A Checking Account

Do you run a weekly or monthly account at the stores in which you trade? If so, how do you pay your bills? Do you pay them in cash and take a receipt? Suppose you do—and lose the receipt—and the bill, through error in giving you credit, is presented to you again—how are you going to prove that you paid it?

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MARRIAGE NOT AN INCIDENT

A Miss Harden, spinster and editor of a woman's magazine in Chicago, has stirred up quite an argument and controversy in the windy city by asserting at a woman's meeting that marriage was no longer anything to women but an incident. The press and the pulpit have taken it up and much energy and hot air is being wasted that might be put into the presidential or League of Nations campaign to some purpose, or used to turn grindstones or blow windmills.

One woman correspondent in the daily press champions the assertion of Miss Harden, for the reason, she alleges, that men do not treat women as well as they should, and that they are all more or less of easy (or uneasy) virtue. She runs down American Chivalry and says the polished gentleman next to her at dinner is as apt to pinch her knee under the table as not. One paper comes back at the ladies and states that man is not the only biped that is not alotgether virtuous.

The facts are all of the parties to this argument are partly right and partly wrong—mainly wrong. Each is making the grave mistake of judging the majority by the minority, the many by the few. It is true that many men of loose morals break their marriage vows on small provocation, and it is also true that woman's virtue is about as cheap a commodity nowadays as there is on the market, but lapses of virtue are by no means the leading causes of domestic infelicity.

If the lady correspondent got her knee pinched at dinner it is dollars to doughnuts that she made some break which invited the familiarity, for it is the woman with a sign out that is thus insulted as a rule, and not the woman who maintains dignity and womanly reserve, and behaves herself.

It is a fact that the great majority of American men and women are good and virtuous and that is the class which goes to make up this great country and is its bulwark and mainstay today. There are hundreds of thousands of good, honest brave men in this country, and more hundreds of thousands of good, lovable, virtuous women, and anybody who judges them by the wrongdoings of others who lack honor and decency does a great wrong to the vast majority.

Marriage is not merely an incident in the lives of women. That is a lie, and a libel upon our mothers, our wives and those who are near and dear to us all. Marriage to woman comes pretty near being all there is in life for her, and all other things are but contributing influences, secondary and auxiliary to her wedded life, her husband, her home and her children. The great Almighty Power which rules over the destiny of this and all other nations and all mankind has decreed by Nature's laws that this shall be so. Man cannot have the babies, and he wouldn't if he could. Woman cannot fight the battles, kill the game, hew the wood or draw the water, as she is the weaker vessel physically. She must bear the children for Nature's laws and the devine command heve made it so. Her marriage and wedded life are of necessity the acme of her existence and all the sour old maids of the Miss Hardin stripe cannot change one iota of God's laws or Nature's command.

The man or woman who contends that marriage and the rearing of a family is but an incident, or is a failure, has a diseased mind which has wandered off on one subject and strayed from the truth. God blesses the union of man and woman and loves the little children, for of such is the kingdom of heaven, and it is the fiery-eyed devil with forked tongue and saw-teeth that is looking for the poor deluded fools who put the frivolities and the routine of life's vocations ahead of the happiness, peace and enjoyment of wedlock and love, which come nearer to being divine institutions than any other emotions or experiences this life has to give.

THINKOGRAPHS

The waiter brought the soft-boiled eggs
Boiled harder than a crock.
"Can't make 'em softer, Boss," he said:
"They're from a Plymouth Rock."

While with some life is a fat grunt, with others it is a lean squeal.

The rebel currency in Mexico has depreciated until it takes about $5 to buy a cigarette.

We can look back and see that a lot of friends of the working man never do any work themselves.

In the beginning woman wore her engagement ring in her nose, right where man is now wearing his.

Since the country went prohibition the tailors ask you, when taking your measure for a suit, which you prefer, pint or quart pockets.

We don't mind having a palm or two in the dining room, but don't want a string band banked behind them or tangoing mixed with the menu.

An Englishman says the solution of the militant suffragette problem is giving each one a husband. Huh! Who's going to volunteer to be the goat?

A pastor of a fashionable New York church has set aside two pews for the chauffeurs who drive his parishoners to church. He must think chauffeurs have souls.

Those who have but slurs and slams for their fellow men soon get to the end of their tether. Give them rope enough and they always hang themselves.

Nobody has ever yet beaten the inevitable law of recompense. For what you receive you must give; but there is always the ass with the breakfast-food brain, elongated gall and soft mitts who figure to get something for nothing.

Speaking of the wholesomeness of pie, the old fashioned country home made mince pie with a pint of devilment in it can never be equaled by any of the fancy pretty things the bakeries turn out nowadays.

Trolly cars long ago invaded Jerusalem and now a canning factory is being erected on the shores of the sea of Galilee. When air ships become perfected some smart guy will be organizing a company to prospect for gold in the streets of Paradise.

We have a dozen sets of books we bought by paying a dollar down and a dollar a month the rest of our life, and have never had time to read half of them yet. And this is not the only instance in which we lacked great mental accumen.

This thing of laying off a day for the ostensible purpose of celebrating some great man's birthday, or something else equally unimportant, is a big piece of foolishness. The day is lost and nobody gives a tarnation about the birthday, or gives it a second thought. Great piece of bunk.

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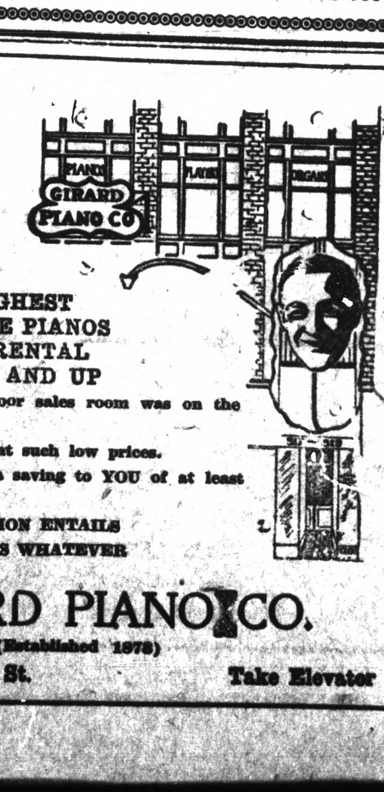

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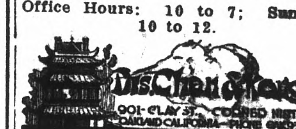

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MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—A good wicker baby buggy. Phone 158-J. 61-2

CHIROPODIST—Dr. Joseph M. Culver, room 12, Berry Bldg., 8th and Macdonald. Hours 2 to 8 p. m. All foot conditions treated. 53tf

FOR SALE—By Conn Bros., 250 gallons of "A-1" roof paint given away at 65c a gallon. a8-tf

NOTARY PUBLIC—I make and acknowledge all kinds of legal papers, war risk insurance converted, deeds, mortgages, contracts, leases, etc.; houses to rent; fire insurance. H. G. Stidham, 163 Washington Ave. Phones: Office 868, Residence 320. 36tf

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—House and lot in San Francisco, clear deed, up-to-date, finished. For particulars address 37 Crest ave., Point Richmond. 61-6

FOR SALE—Three lots in Grand View Terrace at a bargain—improvements all in. Address Box 30, The News office. 58tf

FOR SALE, lease or exchange—a snap—50-acre ranch, 20 acres in orchard, 30 acres farm land. Good potato or bean land. House, barn and garage. Plenty good artesian water, 5 miles from county seat on highway, Monterey county. If interested call at 153 3d street, or phone 538-W. 51tf

FOR SALE—Lots in all parts of Richmond. Good locations. Prices reasonable. Terms $25 down and $5 a month. Tel. 921. Call at 855 Wall street. jly8-tf

HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR SALE

$7500—Three-lot corner on 7th and Bissell, with two flats—five and six rooms each, very modern, with double garage. Must be sold in few days. Actual value $10,000.

$4000—20-room rooming house, 100 feet from Macdonald avenue; completely furnished—$1500 cash. Terms to suit on balance.

$1600—Good 5-room cottage on Virginia St., $1600—$300 down, balance like rent.

$3150—5-room modern house, 8th street, 2 and 1-2 blocks from Macdonald avenue; all furnished with piano; lot 25x125 with 7-foot drive way in rear and garage. Some terms.

$1000—2 fine lots on 6th street, all clear, street work done, fine residence property.

CONN BROS.
253 Sixth Street

Good six-room modern house, garage, lot 31x140, 24 ft. alley, $3,700; $700 cash, $35 per mo.
Five-room modern house in center of town, $3,500; $1,000 down.
Dandy lot close in, $850.
2 fine lots near Macdonald, $1,250.
Four-room modern house, fine lot, 30x120, and garage, $2,500, $500 cash, $25 per mo.

R. W. BYRN
Phone 756. 316 Sixth St.

FOR RENT—3-room apartment, furnished, garage if wanted. The Richmond Company, 2234 Macdonald avenue. Phone Richmond 444.

HELP WANTD

WANTED—Experience waitress, at Gilt Edge Restaurant, 126 Washington avenue, Point Richmond. 59tf

FOR SALE (Miscellaneous)

FOR SALE CHEAP—Good wagon and harness—153 3d street, Richmond. 51tf

ODD FELLOWS—Eclipse Lodge No. 403, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday night in Bank Hall, Eighth Street and Macdonald Avenue. J. B. Hunt, N. G.; J. W. Shell, Recording Secretary, 136 Second Street.

WOODMEN OF HE WORLD—Log Cabin Camp No. 637 meets every Monday in W. O. W. Hall, 707 Macdonald Avenue. Consul Commander, H. B. Hollenbaugh, residence 239 4th treet; Clerk, H. L. Springer, residence 101 Ohio St.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids or proposals will be received by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Contra Costa, at his office until 11 o'clock A. M. on Monday, the 6th day of October, 1919, for the furnishing of materials and labor and construction of two bridges, one, located on San Pablo Creek on Road No. 21 in Contra Costa County, between Stations 63-04 and 64-98 of Division No. 15 of the County Highway; the other, on Wild Cat Creek on Road No. 15 in Contra Costa County, between Stations 42-20 and 42-70 of Division No. 15 of the County Highway, in accordance with plans and specifications this day adopted and approved by the Board of Supervisors as plans and specifications for the building of said bridges.

Plans and specifications for this work are on file in the office of the Clerk of said Board and in the office of the County Surveyor of Contra Costa County, to which bidders are hereby referred.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check on some solvent bank or a cash deposit in a sum equal to ten per cent of amount bid on the whole contract, conditioned that if the contract is awarded to the party submitting the accepted bid, that he will enter into a contract or contracts and furnish such bonds as will be required by said Board within five days after notice of award, or failing so to do, the amount of such check or cash deposit will be forfeited as liquidated damages for such failure.

All checks to be made payable to the order of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, state of California.

The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informality in any bid received.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, State of California.

Dated Martinez, California, September 2, 1919.

J. H. WELLS,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, State of California.
First publication, Sept. 7, 1919.
Last publication, Sept. 21, 1919.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DELINQUENT FOR NONPAYMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND NO. 20 SERIES NO. 67 CUTTING BOULEVARD, CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of installments of principal and interest due on Street Improvement Bond No. 20 Series No. 67, issued under the "Improvement Act of 1911" dated the 17th day of January 1914, and

WHEREAS, the holder of said bond has demanded in writing of the undersigned that he, as City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, proceed to advertise and sell the lot or piece of land in said bond mentioned and hereinafter described, which bond was issued for street work done on Cutting Boulevard, in said City of Richmond, as shown on assessment diagram on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets of said City, and authorized by Resolution of Intention No. 154 of the Council of the City of Richmond, passed January 27th 1913, and

WHEREAS, the unpaid remainder of the principal of said bond and the interest thereon, by reason of said default, are due, payable and delinquent.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that unless the amount of said bond and the interest due thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid, I, the undersigned, as City Treasurer of the said City of Richmond, will on the 7th day of October, 1919, at the hour of 10 A. M. of said day sell at Public Auction in my office 420 Macdonald Avenue in said City of Richmond, to the bidder offering to pay the amount due on the bond with costs for the least portion of the said lot or piece of land mentioned in said bond and described as follows; towit: Situate in the said City of Richmond and known as Lot No. 25 Block No. 18 as delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Santa Fe" filed in the office of the County Recorder on the 17th day of March 1900.

The name of the owner of said lot or piece of land is "Unknown."

The amount due on said bond for principal is $11.85, and for interest thereon, up to said date of sale, is $ .63.

This notice shall be published twice in the Richmond News a newspaper of general circulation, published in said City of Richmond, which said newspaper is hereby designated by the undersigned as the newspaper in which this notice shall be published.

I. R. VAUGHN
City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, Cal.
September 16-17
Dated Sep 13 1919.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DELINQUENT FOR NONPAYMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND NO. 21 SERIES NO. 67 CUTTING BOULEVARD, CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of installments of principal and interest due on Street Improvement Bond No. 21 Series No. 67, issued under the "Improvement Act of 1911" dated the 17th day of January 1914, and

WHEREAS, the holder of said bond has demanded in writing of the undersigned that he, as City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, proceed to advertise and sell the lot or piece of land in said bond mentioned and hereinafter described, which bond was issued for street work done on Cutting Boulevard, in said City of Richmond, as shown on assessment diagram on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets of said City, and authorized by Resolution of Intention No. 154 of the Council of the City of Richmond, passed January 27th 1913, and

WHEREAS, the unpaid remainder of the principal of said bond and the interest thereon, by reason of said default, are due, payable and delinquent.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that unless the amount of said bond and the interest due thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid, I, the undersigned, as City Treasurer of the said City of Richmond, will on the 7th day of October 1919, at the hour of 10 A. M. of said day sell at Public Auction in my office 420 Macdonald Avenue in said City of Richmond, to the bidder offering to pay the amount due on the bond with costs for the least portion of the said lot or piece of land mentioned in said bond and described as follows; towit: Situate in the said City of Richmond and known as Lot No. 26 Block No. 18 as delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Santa Fe" filed in the office of the County Recorder on the 17th day of March 1900.

The name of the owner of said lot or piece of land is "Unknown."

The amount due on said bond for principal is $11.85, and for interest thereon, up to said date of sale, is $ .63.

This notice shall be published twice in the Richmond News a newspaper of general circulation, published in said City of Richmond, which said newspaper is hereby designated by the undersigned as the newspaper in which this notice shall be published.

I. R. VAUGHN
City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, Cal.
Dated Sep 13 1919.
September 16-17

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DELINQUENT FOR NONPAYMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND NO. 42 SERIES NO. 67 CUTTING BOULEVARD, CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of installments of principal and interest due on Street Improvement Bond No. 42 Series No. 67, issued under the "Improvement Act of 1911" dated the 17th day of January 1914, and

WHEREAS, the holder of said bond has demanded in writing of the undersigned that he, as City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, proceed to advertise and sell the lot or piece of land in said bond mentioned and hereinafter described, which bond was issued for street work done on Cutting Boulevard, in said City of Richmond, as shown on assessment diagram on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets of said City, and authoried by Resolution of Intention No. 154 of the Council of the City of Richmond, passed January 27th 1913, and

WHEREAS, the unpaid remainder of the principal of said bond and the interest thereon, by reason of said default, are due, payable and delinquent.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that unless the amount of said bond and the interest due thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid, I, the undersigned, as City Treasurer of the said City of Richmond, will, on the 7th day of October 1919, at the hour of 10 A. M. of said day sell at Public Auction in my office 420 Macdonald Avenue in said City of Richmond, to the bidder offering to pay the amount due on the bond with costs for the least portion of the said lot or piece of land mentioned in said bond and described as follows; towit: Situate in the said City of Richmond and known as Lot No. 1 Block No. 16 as delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Santa Fe" filed in the office of the County Recorder on the 17th day of March 1900.

The name of the owner of said lot or piece of land is "Unknown."

The amount due on said bond for principal is $51.24, and for interest thereon, up to said date of sale, is $3.19.

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I. R. VAUGHN
City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, Cal.
Dated Sep 13 1919.
September 16-17

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DELINQUENT FOR NONPAYMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND NO. 51 SERIES NO. 94 MAIN STREET, CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of installments of principal and interest due on Street Improvement Bond No. 51 Series No. 94, issued under the "Improvement Act of 1911" dated the 12th day of July 1915, and

WHEREAS, the holder of said bond has demanded in writing of the undersigned that he, as City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, proceed to advertise and sell the lot or piece of land in said bond mentioned and hereinafter described, which bond was issued for street work done on Main Street, in said City of Richmond, as shown on assessment diagram on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets of said City, and authorized by Resolution of Intention No. 235 of the Council of the City of Richmond, passed July 6th 1914, and

WHEREAS, the unpaid remainder of the principal of said bond and the interest thereon, by reason of said default, are due, payable and delinquent.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that unless the amount of said bond and the interest due thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid, I, the undersigned, as City Treasurer of the said City of Richmond, will on the 7th day of October 1919, at the hour of 10 A. M. of said day sell at Public Auction in my office 420 Macdonald Avenue in said City of Richmond, to the bidder offering to pay the amount due on the bond with costs for the least portion of the said lot or piece of land mentioned in said bond and described as follows; towit: Situate in the said City of Richmond and known as Lot No. 15 Block No. 6 as delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Amended Map of Richmond Fifth Addition" filed in the office of the County Recorder on the 4th day of February 1904.

The name of the owner of said lot or piece of land is "Unknown."

The amount due on said bond for principal is $35.46, and for interest thereon, up to said date of sale, is $1.92.

This notice shall be published twice in the Richmond News a newspaper of general circulation, published in said City of Richmond, which said newspaper is hereby designated by the undersigned as the newspaper in which this notice shall be published.

I. R. VAUGHN
City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, Cal
Dated Sep 13 1919.
September 16-17

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DELINQUENT FOR NONPAYMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND NO. 9 SERIES NO. 97 TWENTIETH STREET, CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of installments of principal and interest due on Street Improvement Bond No. 9 Series No. 97, issued under the "Improvement Act of 1911" dated the 2nd day of August 1915, and

WHEREAS, the holder of said bond has demanded in writing of the undersigned that he, as City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, proceed to advertise and sell the lot or piece of land in said bond mentioned and hereinafter described, which bond was issued for street work done on Twentieth Street, in said City of Richmond, as shown on assessment diagram on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets of said City, and authorized by Resolution of Intention No. 250 of the Council of the City of Richmond, passed November 30th 1914, and

WHEREAS, the unpaid remainder of the principal of said bond and the interest thereon, by reason of said default, are due, payable and delinquent.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that unless the amount of said bond and the interest due thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid, I, the undersigned, as City Treasurer of the said City of Richmond, will on the 7th day of October 1919, at the hour of 10 A. M. of said day sell at Public Auction in my office 420 Macdonald Avenue in said City of Richmond, to the bidder offering to pay the amount due on the bond with costs for the least portion of the said lot or piece of land mentioned in said bond and described as follows; towit: Situate in the said City of Richmond and known as Lot No. 20 Block No. 86 as delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Amended Map of City of Richmond" filed in the office of the County Recorder on the 31st day of March 1905.

The name of the owner of said lot or piece of land is "Unknown."

The amount due on said bond for principal is $109.78, and for interest thereon, up to said date of sale, is $5.86.

This notice shall be published twice in the Richmond News a newspaper of general circulation, published in said City of Richmond, which said newspaper is hereby designated by the undersigned as the newspaper in which this notice shall be published.

I. R. VAUGHN
City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, Cal.
Dated Sep 13 1919.
September 16-17

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DELINQLENT FOR NONPAYMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND NO. 58 SERIES NO. 106 CASTRO AVENUE, CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of installments of principal and interest due on Street Improvement Bond No. 58 Series No. 106, issued under the "Improvement Act of 1911" dated the 21st day of December 1915, and

WHEREAS, the holder of said bond has demanded in writing of the undersigned that he, as City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, proceed to advertise and sell the lot or piece of land in said bond mentioned and hereinafter described, which bond was issued for street work done on Castro Avenue, in said City of Richmond, as shown on assessment diagram on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets of said City, and authorized by Resolution of Intention No. 237 of the Council of the City of Richmond, passed July 6th 1914, and

WHEREAS, the unpaid remainder of the principal of said bond and the interest thereon, by reason of said default, are due, payable and delinquent.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that unless the amount of said bond and the interest due thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid, I, the undersigned, as City Treasurer of the said City of Richmond, will on the 7th day of October 1919, at the hour of 10 A. M. of said day sell at Public Auction in my office 420 Macdonald Avenue in said City of Richmond, to the bidder offering to pay the amount due on the bond with costs for the least portion of the said lot or piece of land mentioned in said bond and described as follows; towit: Situate in the said City of Richmond and known as Lot No. 2 Block No. 12 as delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Soito's First Addition to the Town of Richmond" filed in the office of the County Recorder on the 14th day of January 1907.

The name of the owner of said lot or piece of land is "Unknown."

The amount due on said bond for principal is $39.52, and for interest thereon, up to said date of sale, is $2.11.

This notice shall be published twice in the Richmond News a newspaper of general circulation, published in said City of Richmond, which said newspaper is hereby designated by the undersigned as the newspaper in which this notice shall be published.

I. R. VAUGHN
City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, Cal.
Dated Sep 13 1919.
September 16-17

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DELINQUENT FOR NONPAYMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND NO. 24 SERIES NO. 118 FIFTEENTH STREET AND PORTOLA AVENUE CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of installments of principal and interest due on Street Improvement Bond No. 24 Series No. 118, issued under the "Improvement Act of 1911" dated the 14th day of January 1918, and

WHEREAS, the holder of said bond has demanded in writing of the undersigned that he, as City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, proceed to advertise and sell the lot or piece of land in said bond mentioned and hereinafter described, which bond was issued for street work done on Fifteenth Street and Portola Avenue, in said City of Richmond, as shown on assessment diagram on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets of said City, and authorized by Resolution of Intention No. 317 of the Council of the City of Richmond, passed May 21st 1917, and

WHEREAS, the unpaid remainder of the principal of said bond and the interest thereon, by reason of said default, are due, payable and delinquent.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that unless the amount of said bond and the interest due thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid, I, the undersigned, as City Treasurer of the said City of Richmond, will on the 7th day of October 1919, at the hour of 10 A. M. of said day sell at Public Auction in my office 420 Macdonald Avenue in said City of Richmond, to the bidder offering to pay the amount due on the bond with costs for the least portion of the said lot or piece of land mentioned in said bond and described as follows; towit: Situate in the said City of Richmond and known as Lot No. 7 Block No. 112 as delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Amended Map of City of Richmond" filed in the office of the County Recorder on the 31st day of March 1905.

The name of the owner of said lot or piece of land is "Unknown."

The amount due on said bond for principal is $69.13, and for interest thereon, up to said date of sale, including penalty, is $7.06.

This notice shall be published twice in the Richmond News a newspaper of general circulation, published in said City of Richmond, which said newspaper is hereby designated by the undersigned as the newspaper in which this notice shall be published.

I. R. VAUGHN
City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, Cal.
Dated Sep 13 1919.
September 16-17

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DELINQUENT FOR NONPAYMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND NO. 10 SERIES NO. 120 FIFTEENTH STREET, CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of installments of principal and interest due on Street Improvement Bond No. 10 Series No. 120, issued under the "Improvement Act of 1911" dated the 31st day of May 1918, and

WHEREAS, the holder of said bond has demanded in writing of the undersigned that he, as City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, proceed to advertise and sell the lot or piece of land in said bond mentioned and hereinafter described, which bond was issued for street work done on Fifteenth Street, in said City of Richmond, as shown on assessment diagram on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets of said City, and authorized by Resolution of Intention No. 331 of the Council of the City of Richmond, passed December 3rd 1917, and

WHEREAS, the unpaid remainder of the principal of said bond and the interest thereon, by reason of said default, are due, payable and delinquent.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that unless the amount of said bond and the interest due thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid, I, the undersigned, as City Treasurer of the said City of Richmond, will on the 7th day of October 1919, at the hour of 10 A. M. of said day sell at Public Auction in my office 420 Macdonald Avenue in said City of Richmond, to the bidder offering to pay the amount due on the bond with costs for the least portion of the said lot or piece of land mentioned in said bond and described as follows; towit: Situate in the said City of Richmond and known as Lot No. 18 Block No. 18 as delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Map of Brown Andrade Tract" filed in the office of the County Recorder on the 3rd day of April 1908.

The name of the owner of said lot or piece of land is "Unknown."

The amount due on said bond for principal is $315.49, and for interest thereon, up to said date of sale, including penalty, is $17.99.

This notice shall be published twice in the Richmond News a newspaper of general circulation, published in said City of Richmond, which said newspaper is hereby designated by the undersigned as the newspaper in which this notice shall be published.

I. R. VAUGHN
City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, Cal.
Dated Sep 13 1919.
September 16-17

RESOLUTION OF INTENTION NUMBER 362

A Resolution of the Council of the City of Richmond Declaring Its Intention to Improve Portions of Garrard Boulevard and Standard Avenue; Creating an Assessment District to Pay the Expenses of Such Work or Improvement, and Determining That Serial Bonds Shall be Issued to Represent the Expenses of Such Work or Improvement.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, as follows:

That the public interest and convenience require, and that it is the intention of the Council of the City of Richmond, to order the following work to be done and improvement to be made in the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, to-wit:

That certain portions of the roadway on each side of the center line of GARRARD BOULEVARD, between the direct extension westerly of the northerly line of Ohio Avenue and the direct extension southeasterly of the southwesterly line of Standard Avenue, and of STANDARD AVENUE between Garrard Boulevard and the direct extension northeasterly of the southeasterly line of Railroad Avenue, be regraded and repaved with six (6) inch cement concrete base with a wearing surface of asphalt and broken rock.

That a catch basin of cement concrete with cast iron frame and grate and with connection of standard, salt glazed vitrified sewer pipe, wingwalls of cement concrete, and curbs of redwood, be constructed thereon.

That a portion of the existing gutters be surfaced with a wearing surface of asphalt and broken rock.

That all of said work shall be done at the places and in the manner and of the materials as specified, set forth and shown on the plans and specifications for said work adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond, by its Resolution Adopting Plans and Specifications No. 362, passed and adopted by said Council at a regular meeting thereof held on the 15th day of September, 1919, and now on file in the office of the Clerk of the City of Richmond, reference to said plans and specifications being hereby especially made.

Excepting however, from all the afore-described work such portion as is required by law to be kept in order and repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon; and also excepting from all the afore-described work any portion thereof already done to the official lines and grades and constructed in accordance with the plans and specifications herein mentioned.

And the said Council of the City of Richmond does hereby determine and declare that said proposed work and improvement is of more than local or ordinary public benefit, and will affect and benefit the lands and district hereinafter described, which said district is hereby declared to be the district benefited by said work and improvement; and that therefore the entire costs, charges and expenses of said work and improvement shall be and is hereby made chargeable against and shall be assessed upon said lands and district, which district is within the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, and is bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the most westerly corner of Lot 10, Block 1, Canal Subdivision, as said Lot 10, Block 1 is shown on map entitled "Map No.1 of the Canal Subdivision" filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on the 6th day of July, 1907, and running thence in direct lines as follows: To the most southerly corner of said Lot 10; thence to the most westerly corner of Lot 39, said Block 1; thence to the southeasterly corner of said Lot 39; thence to the northeasterly corner of said Lot 39; thence to the southeasterly corner of Block 16, said Canal Subdivision; thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot 13, Block 17, said Canal Subdivision; thence to the southeasterly corner of said Lot 13; thence to the southeasterly corner of Lot 9, said Block 17; thence to the most northerly corner of Lot 28, said Block 17; thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot 1, said Block 17; thence to the most westerly corner of Lot 14, Block 28, said Canal Subdivision; thence to the most northerly corner of Lot 18, said Block 28; thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot 32, Block 29, said Canal Subdivision; thence to the southeasterly corner of said Lot 32; thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot 4, said Block 29; thence to the southeasterly corner of Block 37, Amendment to Map No. 1, the Canal Subdivision, as said Block 37 is shown on map entitled "Amendment to Map No. 1, The Canal Subdivision" filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on the 10th day of March, 1910; thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot 26, Block 38, said Amendment to Map No. 1, The Canal Subdivision; thence to the northeasterly corner of said Lot 26; thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot 6, said Block 38; thence to the northeasterly corner of said Lot 6; thence through the intersection of the westerly line of Esmeralda Street with the southerly line of Ohio Avenue to the northerly line of Ohio Avenue; thence to the intersection of the direct extension westerly of the northerly line of Ohio Avenue with a line parallel to and 150 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Garrard Boulevard; thence to the intersection of said line parallel to the northwesterly line of Garrard Boulevard with a line parallel to 150 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Standard Avenue thence to the intersection of said line parallel to the northeasterly line of Standard Avenue with a line at right angles to the northeasterly line of Standard Avenue through the intersection of said northeasterly line of Standard Avenue and the direct extension northeasterly of the southerly line of Railroad Avenue; thence to the intersection of said northeasterly line of Standard Avenue with the direct extension northeasterly of the southeasterly line of Railroad Avenue; thence to the intersection of the southeasterly line of Railroad Avenue with a line parallel to and 150 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Standard Avenue; thence to the intersection of said line parallel to the southwesterly line of Standard Avenue with the northwesterly line of Garrard Boulevard: thence to the aforesaid most westerly corner of Lot 10, Block 1, Canal Subdivision, and the point of commencement.

Being all in the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California. Saving, excepting and excluding from said district all streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, crossings and places therein included and contained.

Notice is hereby given that serial bonds to represent unpaid assessments and bear interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum will be issued hereunder in the manner provided by the Improvement Bond Act of 1915, the last installment of which bonds shall mature nine (9) years from the 2nd day of July next succeeding nine (9) months from their date.

Notice is hereby given that Monday, the 6th day of October, 1919, at the hour of 9:00 o'clock P.M., at the Council Chambers of the Council of the City of Richmond at No. 2555 Nevin Avenue, in the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, are hereby fixed as the day, hour and place, when and where any and all persons having any objections to the proposed work or improvement, may appear before the said Council of the City of Richmond and show cause why said proposed improvement should not be carried out in accordance with this resolution.

The Richmond News, a daily newspaper published and circulated in the said City of Richmond, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this resolution of intention shall be published, and the Clerk of the City of Richmond is hereby directed to cause this resolution of intention to be published by two insertions in said newspaper, and the Superintendent of Streets is hereby directed to cause to be conspicuously posted notices of the passage of this resolution, in the manner and form required by law.

All of the herein proposed work shall be done in pursuance of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, designated the "Improvement Act of 1911" and amendments thereto, and the "Improvement Bond Act of 1915."

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution of intention was duly passed and adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond at a regular meeting thereof, held on the 15th day of September, 1919, by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmen Lane, Gerlach, Scott, Watson, Garrard, Carey and Long.
Noes: Councilmen Ogborn and Hartnett.
Absent: None.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the corporate seal of the City of Richmond this 16th day of September 1919.

A. C. FARIS,
Clerk of the City of Richmond.
By: J. A. DEADRICH, Deputy Clerk of the City of Richmond.
(Seal)
Approved: J. N. LONG, Mayor.

MEXICAN QUESTION BECOMES INSISTENT

INTERVENTION ON A BIG SCALE IS PREDICTED BY MANY, BUT OTHERS DISAGREE.

CAVALRY WOULD GET CHANCE

Nature of the Terrain Is Not Suited to the Most Modern Methods of Warfare—Campaign Against Garza Recalled.

By EDWARD B. CLARK.

Washington.—The Mexican interrogation mark has become sharper than an exclamation point. Nobody in Washington knows definitely just what the United States intends to do with Mexico. There are daily stories of actual intervention on a big scale, and there are stories to the effect that things are to go on as they have been going on for years. Some of the congressmen say that one day there will be a terrific happening which will unloose things and send them in the shape of armies southward across the border. Others say no, and there you are.

Even such expeditions into Mexico as now occasionally are undertaken by United States forces are huge affairs as compared to the military doings of the United States along the border and beyond it during the years which intervened between the Mexican war in the late forties and the mobilization of American troops on the border eight years ago under the orders of President Taft.

Army men say that while time has changed everything military, it never has changed the nature of the Mexican terrain and that therefore if the United States ever shall be compelled to go into Mexico in force, warfare, except for its implements, will be carried on pretty much as it was years ago.

Would Give Cavalry a Chance.

The American cavalry had little or nothing to do in the great war which has just closed. Army men say the cavalry plus a little field artillery will have more to do if we ever shall invade Mexico than it would fall to the lot of the doughboys to do, and that thus for once the infantry would be compelled to play second fiddle to their mounted brethren.

When Colonel Dodd made his tremendous ride after bandits just prior to the sending of Pershing's force into Mexico a few years ago, he did just what was done the other day when another cavalry force undertook to run down the bandits who had captured two American aviators and held them for ransom. Bandits take a hot pace on the trail and it is necessary if they are to be caught that the pursuing cavalrymen shall take up a superheated trail.

Not all our rows with Mexican banditti have been staged on Mexican soil. Maj. Gen. Joseph T. Dickman, who is now in command of the American troops on the border, fought Mexican banditti as a first lieutenant 28 years ago, but fought them on Texan soil. In fact, Dickman as a junior officer had about two years' experience with these elusive gentlemen.

While army officers say that the Mexican country will be a hard one in which to round up all the bands which it ultimately may be necessary to go after, they know and say that Texas terrain in which one antibandit campaign was carried on was as bad, if not worse, than any country that can be found south of the Rio Grande.

In 1892 all the American troops available in the southern department and some troops from elsewhere were sent into the chaparral country of Texas to round up bandits under the leadership of Catarino E. Garza, who at one time was supposed to have designs on the presidency of Mexico, then held by Diaz.

Round-Up of Garza's Band.

Garza and some 200 of his followers, using American soil as their base, went on a raid into Mexico and put a military garrison to the sword; then they fled back into the United States and headed into the dense chaparral along the lower Rio Grande, particularly in Neuces county. The Third U. S. cavalry was turned loose near what was called the King Ranch country, and Dodd and Dickman were officers in the Third at that time.

The chapparral was so dense and some of the Mexican-Texan natives were so friendly to the bandits that it took the United States two years to complete the round-up, and when it was done there were less than 300 men in the toils.

Catarino E. Garza, the leader, never was captured. He disappeared completely and no one knows what became of him. There was a rumor that he headed a revolt in one of the Central American countries and was killed, but definite proof of the fact never has been adduced.

Washington today is again tremendously interested in the Mexican question. Some startling predictions concerning what may be done in the near future frequently are heard. It may be that Mexico will enter largely as a question into the next presidential campaign, and this seems likely to happen even if the condition of things remains as it is today, for Mexico, like the poor, the American people always have with them.

London hospitals last year cost £1,719,030.

Ice Cold Root Beer at Severs—Good sized potatoes for sale—$1.35 per 50-lb. box—297 Chrit-

Local Laconics of Richmondites

Miss Marguerite Butterfield, formerly a Richmond girl but now of Martinez, was married in Berkeley yesterday at high noon at the Redevia Club to John Baldwin, a banker of San Diego.

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Angered at the delay of the street car company in placing dimmers on its street car lights within the city the council has ordered an ordinance drawn forcing the placing of dimmers at once.

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Mrs. Marianna Roberts, who was injured with her son in an automobile accident on San Pablo highway some weeks ago, has sufficiently recovered to be able to leave the hospital.

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Because no bids were turned in for the job, Country Surveyor R. R. Arnold has been ordered by the Board of Supervisors to proceed with the work of rocking the Franklin Canyon road. It is in horrible condition.

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An inquest was held Monday night on the infant son of Jesus Chaves, a Mexican living in the Santa Fe camp, the finding being that the child died of bronchial pneumonia at the age of nine days.

A marriage license was issued in Oakland yesterday to William Acirnero, 26, San Pablo, and Lina Zaratero, 29, Richmond.

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Rebates on all unfilled orders for surplus army foods supplied through the parcels post will be made to purchasers, according to information received from the Postoffice Department yesterday.

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A fine baby boy was born last Saturday to the wife of Fred F. Carlson at the home, 29 Ninth street. Dr. M. Deininger-Keser was in attendance. All doing well, including Fred.

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C. E. Clark of the Eastbay Water Company, went to Livermore yesterday to visit his father.

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Charles J. Crary, president of the First National Bank, has written to Cashier Larkin J. Younce from Philadelphia, stating he was enjoying his trip. He will be away some time yet.

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Mrs. Ernest C. Dahlberg has gone to Sebastopol to spend a few weeks visiting with friends there.

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A marriage license was issued at Martinez yesterday: James S. Ellison, 23, San Bernardino, and Helen L. Clark, 23, San Pablo.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Flattery, J. C. McDowell and Miss Patricia McDowell spent the week end with the Iversons at Sebastopol.

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Rev. and Mrs. DD. W. Calfee left for Santa Cruz where they will enjoy a week's rest. During their absence the work of the Humane Society will be in charge of W. H. Conn, Hutt Brown and Ross Calfee.

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There is to be a meeting this evening at C. of C. rooms of the newly elected members of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce, at which officers will be elected and some plans outlined for future work. The selection of the proper party for secretary will be the first hard job.

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Beckhaus has another lot of prices quoted in this issue of the News. The last time he pulled off that stunt the people nearly mobbed him and he had to apologize next day for being unable to wait on the crowd. Good scheme to always put on an extra clerk or two before advertising in the News.

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Mrs. W. S. Poage arrived on the farm near Merced safely a few days ago and writes that she is having a good time, but that it is very hot weather for bay region folks. Meantime Willard is beginning to wear that unrestful expression so noticeable on a strange cat wandering around the suburbs of a cemetery.

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Remodelling and Hats made-to-order—Mrs. E. Renner—938 Pomona avenue, Albany. 50-6

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L. Anderson Company, Martinez, California.
Contra Costa County Lumber Company, Martinez, California.
Concord Ice & Fuel Company, Concord, California.
Spencer & Ayer, Walnut Creek, California.
Danville Warehouse & Lumber Company, Danville, California.
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America Could Well Afford to Export Even Great Tonnage, Asserts Official

SHORTAGE 62,000,000 TONS

All Europe Demanding Coal—We Are Not Injuring Home Consumers in Satisfying It

Washington — (Special)— American coal producers, seeking to relieve a world-wide shortage, are not sending coal abroad in sufficient volume to deprive the American consumer, in the opinion of H. Y. Saint, head of the Shipping Board's export department, a witness before the Senate sub-committee conducting an inquiry into the coal situation, headed by Senator Frelinghuysen of New Jersey.

Mr. Saint submitted to the committee the Shipping Board's official estimate of the extent of the world-wide coal shortage, totaling 62,463,000 tons, most of which if made up, he said, "presumably must be made up by the United States." Exclusive of shipments to Canada the United States is exporting coal, he said, at the rate of about 7,000,000 tons a year. This is a little more than one per cent of the total amount of bituminous coal produced in the country for a year.

According to Mr. Saint's figures, Canada will need about 16,853,000 tons; France, 17,000,000; Belgium, 12,000,000 tons, which may be reduced later as Belgium is rapidly restoring her mines; The Netherlands, 8,000,000 tons; China, 3,135,000 tons; Italy, 5,000,000 tons; Sweden, Norway and other countries, many millions more. To help supply the needs of these and other countries, Mr. Saint stated, the Shipping Board had allocated to the coal trade 194 American ships of 929,684 deadweight tons, as follows:

In the Swedish trade, 85,111 tons; to Switzerland and The Netherlands, 235,633 tons; to Denmark, 7000 tons; Italy, 105,503 tons; France, 138,380 tons; South America, 207,512 tons. There was included in these figures, he said, 103,661 tons in the coastwise or New England trade, which would have to be deducted from the total tonnage, leaving approximately 828,000 tons engaged in the overseas transportation of coal.

The figures represented only Shipping Board vessels, he said, or about 30 per cent of the total.

"The export coal trade so far this year," Mr. Saint said, "is running a little behind the export trade of last year, owing to the dropping down of the Canadian trade. But the foreign trade has increased over last year. By the time this year is up we will have exported, I think, about 7,000,000 tons."

So great was the dearth of coal abroad, Mr. Saint asserted, that demand had come from practically every European country, including the British Isles, heretofore the chief coal exporting nation of the world. England's inability to produce coal in pre-war quantities, he thought, was primarily responsible for the increased demand on the bituminous coal producers of the United States.

"Her exports have dropped from 77,000,000 tons of coal a year," he said, "to 23,000,000 tons. It was the understanding that England was to take care of the Italian situation. I believe that conclusion was reached in Paris during the economic conference there. But England has radically failed to take care of the Italian situation. Italian imports of coal before the war were 10,000,000 tons annually. Last year England sent Italy 4,000,000 tons and this year, up to date, she is doing very little better. This leaves from 4,000,000 to 5,000,000 tons to be supplied Italy by other nations and we are practically the only nation that can supply her that coal."

"Are we relieving England at our expense?" Senator Frelinghuysen asked.

"If you mean expense in the sense of taking coal that should go to our own people," replied Mr. Saint, "I do not believe that sufficient coal is going abroad to particularly injure our domestic situation. If you look at our foreign shipments as a development of a legitimate foreign trade, which will mean a very great deal to this country in future years, I think we can well send what we are sending now, and considerably more, abroad at this time."

Mr. Saint said that "We are trying to distribute our tonnage equitably among the countries that need coal."

REALTY TRANSFERS

Daily service to the News by the Richmond Abstract and Title Co.

Ida Lydia Roberts, as admrx. of estate of Clara Linda Roberts, deceased, to Charles E. Roberts., Jr.—Deed. Lot 7, Blk. 12, Soito's First Addn. to City of Richmond.

Contra Costa Realty Company to Joseph Merriam—Deed. Lot 20, Blk. 2, Map o Tewksbury Heights.

Contra Costa Realty Company, to William Sauer—Deed. Lot 25, Blk. 10, Map of Tewksbury Heights.

Contra Costa Realty Company to Maria Hansen—Deed. Lots 3, 4, Blk. 43, Map of East Richmond Boulevard.

Contra Costa Realty Company to Celestin Delsipee—Deed. Lot 26, Blk. 42, Map of East Richmond Boulevard.

Contra Costa Realty Company to John W. Grow—Deed. Lot 14, Blk. 1, Map of Schapiro Central Tract.

TELEGRAPH

(Continued from Page 1.)

attacking the League of Nations today in the Senate, declared if the league covenant were ratified as drafted American mothers "will but cradle their sons to fill the muster roll of armies to give their lives in foreign wars."

Replying to attacks by President Wilson on senators opposing the league, the Illinois senator asserted "the President himself is the crowned monarch of quitters without a rival in the Western Hemisphere" and that "his silence and speed when escaping from his imperishable principles of yesterday is a asbysmal and swift as primal chaos."

Fresh Fruit Drinks served at Beyers. 62-tf

GIVE PRESIDENT POWER OVER STRIKES

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Proposal that the President of the United States be made a member of the American Federation of Labor, and that all strikes now in progress throughout the country be immediately canceled are contained in a communication sent to President Gompers and the executive council of the American Federation of Labor by the "League of A. F. of L. Members for Partnership and Industrial Democracy," which was made public here today.

The league was recently organized by John J. Pierce and Isadore Epstein, who were members of a special committee appointed by James P. Holland, president of the State Federation of Labor, to investigate industrial conditions. The report of the committee, which was published on Labor Day, recommended an industrial truce for six months, during which all strikes were to be called of. The report was promptly repudiated by President Holland, who discharged Epstein and Pierce from the committee.

Sweet's High Grade Chocolates at Beyers. 46tf

See "Mary Regan" At Richmond Today

In "Mary Regan," the screen adaptation of the year's biggest novel by LeRoy Scott, which will be shown at the Richmond Theatre today and tomorrow Anita Stewart, as Mary Regan, wears a most interesting series of gowns. The newest in Broadway and Fifth Avenue's dainty whims envelope this pretty star as she acts out the thrilling succession of episodes which comprise the most interesting period in the life of Miss Regan, daughter of a notorious criminal, and of his society wife.

Your money's worth at Beyers. 61tf

Mrs. Katherine Smith spent the week end with friends at Kenwood, Sonoma county.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—Second-hand furniture. See Mrs. G. C. Wright at 656 16th St. 65-2

FOR SALE—New cement block house, very nifty, good location. Must be seen to be appreciated. Terms to suit buyer. Apply The Richmond Co., 2234 Macdonald Ave. Phone 444. 65-6

LOST—33-4 auto tire, between 3 3:30 Sunday p. m. somewhere between Oakland and San Rafael ferry. Liberal reward. Clark, at ferry. 64-3

LOST—In the S. P. depot telephone booth a pocket book containing a diamond ring and lavallier. Finder return to this office and receive reward. 63-2

FOR SALE—Beautiful gas range. standard make. Call at 2227 Macdonald avenue. Cigar store. 62-2

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Position as second cook—restaurant or private home. Box 25. News office. 64-4

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Anita Stewart In
"Mary Regan"
Ambrosa Comedy and
Pathe News
FRIDAY
Alice Brady In
"Redhead"

THE BIG CIRCUS COMING TO RICHMOND

Peanuts and pink lemonade will soon be ripe, and the odor of sawdust tanbark will permeate the air. The Haganbeck-Wallace shows combined, gayest, grandest, gladdest, galaxy in all the wide world is coming to Richmond, Sunday, September 28, for two performances. This year the big show, in reality there are two shows, will come aboard three special trains, the longest ever used to transport a circus aggregation.

The country for miles around is all aglow with the noisy circus bills of purple and gold and the downtown billboards are the mecca upon which thousands of eyes feast their gaze. Father Time is always on the job, scenes come and go, but somehow or other, the circus is just the circus and its popularity never wanes. The joy and memories of circus day keep a steady hold upon the heart strings of the American people.

The big show is augmented with Carl Hagenbeck's trained wild animal exhibition. Hundreds of wild animals, lions, lepards, tigers, pumas, jaguars, elephants, seals, monkeys, etc., will constitute that department.

Performances will be given at 2 and 8 p. m. Doors to the zoological paradise will be opened an hour earlier. A threemile long street parade will leave the show grounds at 10 o'clock the day of the exhibition and will pass through the principal downtown streets.

All the Popular Brands of Cigars and Tobaccos at Beyers at Lowest Prices. jy18tf

Little Bernice Board, aged two, died of spinal meningitis at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Board, 451 Third street, Monday night. She leaves a sister Margaret, and a grandmother, Mrs. Kate McGowan.

R. W. Byrn has moved his transfer and real estate office to the building next the postoffice, formerly occupied by the Record-Herald. Glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Byrn up this way as neighbors.

VALENCIAS ENTERTAIN

To celebrate the tenth birthday of their daughter Alice and the christening of their little son Earl Anthony, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Valencia entertained a party of their friends at their home near San Pablo Sunday on their return from St. Paul's church, where Father Joseph Porta performed the christening ceremony.

"What is the Shimmie dance?" Police Judge Odell may have to call in experts to determine in case that anyone is arrested under the ordinance of the city which forbids the dancing by two persons of the Shimmie or any other improper dance.

3 BECOME MOTHERS IN GREAT TEMPEST

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex., Sept. 16.—Three women, who sought refuge from the storm in the federal building Sunday night, became mothers while the hurricane was at its height.

NOTICE

The undersigned hereby gives due notice that he and his wife have separated and that from this date on he will not be responsible for any debts or obligations contracted by her.

Dated at Richmond, Cal., this 3d day of September, 1919.

JOSEPH BOWEN.

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Large Tins Crisco	$2.20	1 lb. Ground Chocolate	28c
1 lb. Tins M. J. B. Coffee	49c	1 gal. Cans Tea Garden Syrup	$1.79
1 gal. Cans Ripe Olives	95c	2 lbs. Peanut Butter	45c
2 large Cans Sauerkraut	29c	2 lbs. Sure Pop Pop Corn	35c
5 bars Palm Olive Soap	45c	3 tins Oil Sardines	25c
10 bars Crystal White Soap	65c	6 cans Oval Sardines	$1.00
4 boxes Blue Tip Matches	25c	5 Large Rolls Toilet Paper	25c
1 lb. California Cheese	30c	25c Jars Jams or Jellies	20c
49-lb. Sacks Best Brands Flour	$3.25	6 cans Green Beans	80c
4 lbs. California Rice	50c	6 cans Choice Peas	85c
10 lbs. Small White Beans	75c	6 cans Sugar Corn	$1.00
10 bars Sweet Marie Toilet Soap	35c	2 tins Shrimp	29c
10-lb., Sacks Yellow Corn Meal	59c	Large Tins Spinach	19c
35c pkg. Sperry's Wheat Flakes	29c	5 lbs. Boxes Argo Starch	49c
White Ribbon Shortening, large size	$2.89	10 Bars Octagon Soap	79c
2 pkgs. Grape Nuts	25c	2 lbs. Good Luck Oleomargarine	95c
$1.40 cans Folgers G. G. Coffee	$1.19	35c Tins Molasses	29c

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